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St. Catharines said she was keeping station 1½ miles from the P & T Trader, proceeding on a course slightly south of east, with a west-southwest wind blowing at 40 knots, a rough sea and a heavy swell.

The weather ship said it would stand by until the wind and sea abated or U.S. Coast Guard cutters arrived.

The freighter, St. Catharines reported, appeared "all-right."

RUSHING TO AID

Two U.S. Coast Guard cutters were rushing to the aid of the stricken freighter. The cutter Storis, out of Yakutat, Alaska, estimated its arrival time at 11:30 (PST) today and the cutter Klamath, which left Seattle, expected to arrive about 2 a.m. Saturday.

The P & T Trader was on the way from Yokohama to Yaquina Bay, Ore., in ballast and bucking heavy seas piled up by a 30-mile-an-hour gale when a crack appeared in the hull.

REPAIRS MADE

Reports from the ship said the crew had made emergency repairs by welding angle irons across a crack extending from a hatch combing to the side of the hull and three plates down. Chain cable was used to

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The Victoria weather office said an early evening report from the St. Catharines indicated the barometer was climbing, the wind blowing at 46 miles-an-hour and the weather ship steaming northwest at 14 knots.

The children said they heard a tremendous explosion and then the whole house caught fire.

Mrs. Gibbs thrust her hand out of a window, but she was dead when pulled into the port through heavy weather since Monday because he feared greater speed and pounding seas could split the 7,111-ton vessel in two.

Battered Ship
Limbs to Port

CORNER BROOK, Nfld. (CP)

The storm-battered freighter Stork limped into port at reduced speed Wednesday with a 14-foot crack in her deck plates.

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A Standard Oil tanker, which was at Franklin River at the time, took the party to Port Alberni.

Rescue missed the terrified party when Barkley Sound Transportation Company's Uchuh 2 passed by. They signalled the ferry boat with flashlights and it drove to and met Dick McMinn put the searchlight on the group.

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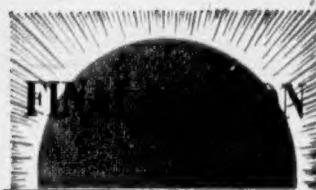
Last Hours Near
For Royal Visit

NEW YORK (CP)—Elizabeth drive across Queensborough and the Queen Mother, winding up the Island of Manhattan.

Her Majesty wore a light

grey coat, a small light blue-grey hat decorated with feathers, grey shoes and gloves. She carried a grey handbag.

The last public appearance of her American tour will be the farewell reception in the ship's veranda grill, two hours before sailing time. There British Commonwealth, American, City of New York and United Nations officials will take leave of Her Majesty before she returns to her cabin.



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As he neared them, the pair ceased to converse and turned their eyes seaward.

"Rufus—heard an exclamation and, turning quickly,

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to be a witness—hurried away. At the usual hour for dinner, Stocker appeared, and took his accustomed seat at the table. Across his cheek and nose was a red welt. He was more than usually taciturn and went to his room early. In the morning it was found that he had not slept in his bed overnight.

On February 17, 1873, the man Stocker was found dead in the pesthouse from a bullet wound.

At a coroner's inquest there was much evidence, but no mention of the man Rufus, and the strange woman.

James Phillips said: "I was acquainted with the deceased. He was digging a ditch close to Nias' place; I saw a stranger, he entered into conversation with me. He said it was a nice place out here, and asked if I had any accommodation for boarders. I referred him to the Park Hotel. I went to the last time I saw him he was playing

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Thomas Case said: "I am steward at the Angel. I called him a man of peculiar habits; we called him Paul Pry from his eccentricities—the manner in which he used to sit at table when he used to swing his arms about and drop his knife and fork and gaze around with a wild look."

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The Taranga, owned by B.C. Packers Ltd., had been unable to establish radio contact and her position had been uncertain.

Engineers were forced to open the outlet valves at John Hart Dam yesterday when heavy rain fell in a solid downpour for more than 24 hours.

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The party is believed to have stayed on a log raft which was towed by a small power boat to Franklin River on the opposite side of the Canal and two miles south.

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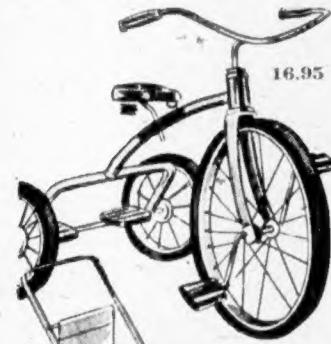
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THERE OUGHTA' BE A LAW

Winning Contract

and Richard L. Frey
By Howard Schenken
BRIDGE QUIZ

You have passed a couple of times, so partner knows you don't have a lot. Nevertheless, he continues to bid—until finally the intervening player passes and you must decide whether the little strength you have is more than partner can logically expect; whether it is enough, in fact, to lead you to hope for a game. Here is where a pass can cost you a game, or a bid can push you over the edge of what you can make. Give due consideration to the previous bidding in deciding what to do with each of the following South hands. It has gone, neither side vulnerable:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1 ♠	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
2 ♦	2 ♦	Pass	Pass
3 ♣		Pass	?

(a) (d) ♠ Q 8 5 ♠ Q 3 2
 V J 9 7 6 V J 10 3 2
 Q 9 6 5 4 C K 5 4
 Q J 2 10 6 3

(b) (e) ♠ Q 7 6 5 4 2 ♠ A 9 3 2
 C 8 4 C 10
 Q J 3 2 Q J 9 8 4 2
 Q 9 2 10 4 2

(c) (f) ♠ J 5 2 ♠ A 10 3
 Q 9 8 C 10 3 2
 Q 8 3 2 Q J 9 6 4
 Q 10 8 3 4 J 4 2

ANSWERS TO BRIDGE QUIZ

(a) Pass. Don't be misled by your stoppers in both the opponents' suits. If this were enough for you to make game at no-trump, partner would have made some stronger bid over one heart—such as double, or a skip rebid in clubs. Too often a partner bids with this kind of hand because he feels that he has a little more than he might have. This isn't any reason to penalize your partner for hoping just that.

(b) Pass. If partner were anxious to hear about spades, he'd have doubled at his second turn. This hand contains too many losers to have any hopes of game; indeed, you will be lucky if your partner can deliver nine tricks at clubs.

(c) Pass. Don't overestimate your trump support. Your partner knows that East doesn't have these clubs behind him, and he is counting on you for something because the opponents haven't bid very strongly. You have little enough.

(d) Pass. Even if your partner has eight tricks, there is every likelihood that the opponents will be able to win five tricks before you can add a ninth trick to your side's total.

(e) Bid four clubs. It looks like you have a good fit. Partner's outside strength is pretty sure to be in spades; he would appear to be short in diamonds; you will be able to trump at clubs and make one more trick.

(f) Pass. There is some temptation to bid three diamonds; if partner can stop the hearts, and holds the king of spades and a solid six-card suit, North has a good club suit—and not a tremendous lot outside. If you are busted, he'd expect the opponents to go further toward game. Hence you must be wary of telling from the bidding that of "rebidding" your values; you are not entirely broke, and even though you haven't actually bid your strength for ally bid them yourself.

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WAS BORN, POO
SANG A DITTY
SOMETHING
LIKE THIS—

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SOMEONE I CAN TURN
EVERYTHING OVER TO
ONE DAY! NOTHING'S
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JUNIOR'S GROWN
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WHAT HE GETS!
ABSOLUTELY
NOTHING!NO! NO MORE
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Animal Question Box

Amazing Intelligence Observed In Many Animals and Birds

BY B. ROBERT MAGGS

I hope that all of you saw the picture, and read the story in Tuesday's Colonist about the dogs that are being trained at the Heather Belle Kennels in Royal Oak, which may pave the way for the use of dogs in civil defense across Canada.

I am personally acquainted with the fact that during the Second World War dogs were used extensively in the search for the injured and for bodies of people killed during air raids.

Mr. and Mrs. Mellish are to be commended for the fact that they have had the foresight to establish such a course—and if those two don't know how to train dogs, and teach other owners to train their dogs, then no one does. Good luck to them. May we never have to make use of the dogs after they are trained, but the Boy Scouts' motto is a good one—"Be Prepared."

INTERESTING LETTER

Mr. J.M.C. writes a very interesting letter the gist of which is—"how can you so-called naturalists say that animals and birds do not have intelligence? Have you ever studied or observed the intelligence of a crow?" And he goes on to give examples.

First of all, Mr. M.C. allow me to correct you on one statement. No naturalist worthy of the name would be so foolish as to say that animals do not have intelligence. The

guile and cleverness of crows, for instance, are constantly evident. They post sentinels; the sentinel can apparently distinguish between a man carrying a stick or a fishing rod and a man carrying a gun.

If a crow finds a hard dry crust of bread he flies with it to the nearest water and dunks it until it is edibly soft. He flies high in the air with an unopened clam or oyster and drops it on the rocks or on a cement highway, then flies down and feasts.

ONLY INTELLIGENCE

This cannot be called anything but intelligence. We cannot be so presumptuous as to make the mistake of thinking that only humans exclusively have intelligence. The error occurs when intelligence is equated with reason. The two are not the same. Reason, even

at its rudest, requires the recognition of principles abstracted from the experience of here and now.

Crows may have learned the intelligent effectiveness of dropping a clam on rocks in order to obtain the meat from the shell but it cannot learn the principle, or crows would have developed a science of physics.

Crows have humor, too, and emotions such as anger, alarm, love, curiosity and they also have a moral impulse. But if we suppose that there is no physical difference between ourselves and crows, then our whole interpretation of the natural world is in error. All of us are commonly grown and thereby inseparably brothers. But without taking refuge in a lot of high-sounding words, I repeat, do not confuse intelligence with reason. The two are

Band Blows Busily On Tour of Island

The smart, well-groomed band of Fife, Wash., senior junior high school should be all out of wind when the members complete a busy three-day Vancouver Island schedule.

The 57-piece band, with members attired in gold-braided blue tunics and grey slacks, are a concert of light music yesterday afternoon for S. J. Willis High School students.

The band members had left their homes in suburban Tacoma in the early morning today. Bandmaster Alfred Flechner told his audience the Port Angeles-Victoria boat trip yesterday might have affected the performers.

Today the well-trained band plays at Port Alberni High School in the afternoon and for the Alberni public in the evening.

RETURN TRIP

The return trip will see the band at Duncan, and at S. J. Willis High School at 8 p.m. Friday for another public concert.

The trip was scouted by Mr. Flechner last summer. Sponsors are the Active Club of Fife and the school students.

Mr. Flechner introduced his performers, two-thirds of whom are in Grades 7, 8 and 9. The full-time music teacher and conductor also trains a band of similar size, made up of lower grade students.

At 7 p.m. the touring band will be back on its high school gridiron to help cheer the local football team.

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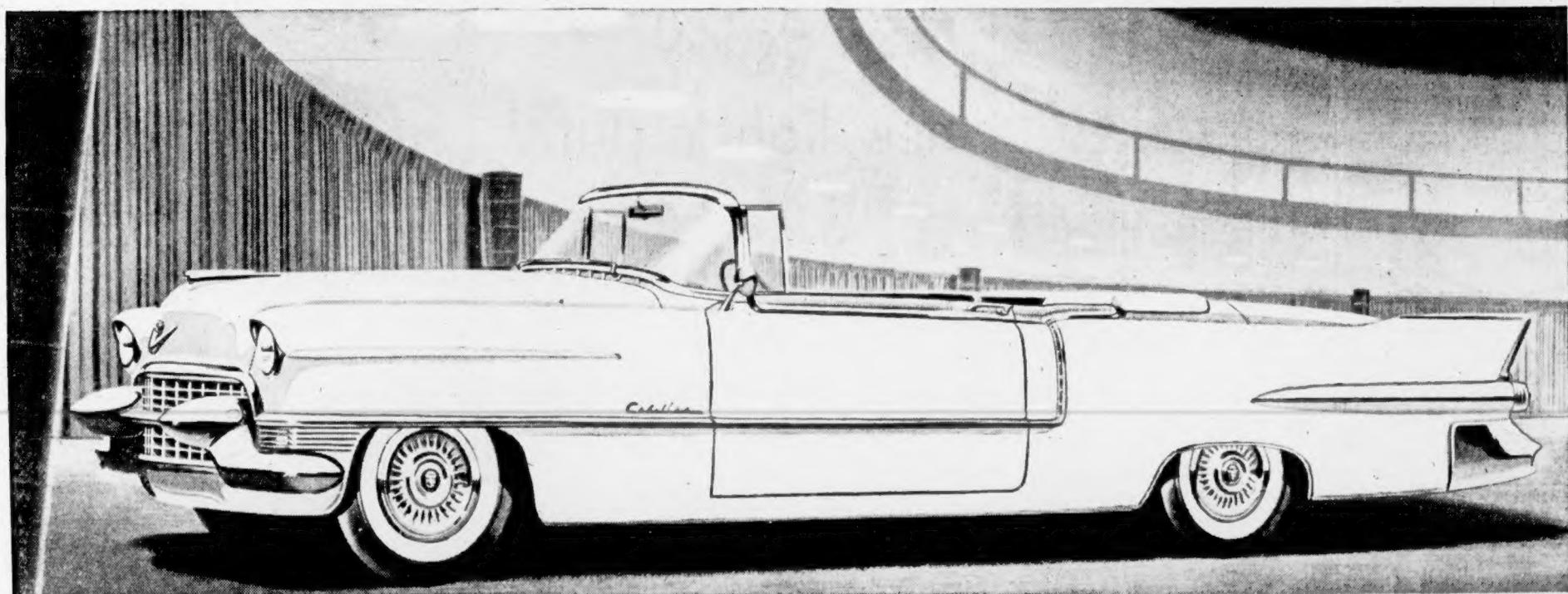
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Early December Wedding



The engagement is announced of Ida Wilma Lenora, daughter of Mr. James R. Foster, 2618 Blanshard Street, to Mr. John Einar Brynjofson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Brynjofson, 775 Hampshire Road. The wedding will take place December 4 at 8 p.m. in St. John's Anglican Church. Miss

Foster, a 1953 graduate in medical technology from St. Joseph's Hospital, has asked her sister, Miss Roslyn Foster, to be maid of honor, and Miss Vera Stanley of Vancouver, Miss Carol Pomeroy, and Miss Pat Fried to be bridesmaids. Mr. Philip Redford of Vancouver will be best man.

St. Mary's Auxiliary Bazaar Proceeds \$200

Mrs. B. Harding, chairman of convener of the affair welcomed the guests among whom were the Council of Evening branches, the guests among whom were the Archdeacon and Mrs. A. E. del bazaar given by the Auxiliary to St. Mary's church yesterday afternoon in the church hall. Mrs. F. J. Crowley, president of the Auxiliary, and general guests

Turned the afternoon pupils

of Mrs. Foster's school of dance

in presented a program which

was enjoyed by the many

Beauty and You

By MARION MATTHEWS

Q Is a steam bath ready of help to the complexion?

A In conjunction with regular skin care the steam bath for the face can be helpful in cleansing pores and ridding them of excess wastes and oils. Use a good lubricating cream on your face and then lean over a bowl of steaming hot water. Tie your hair up out of the way before you start and then, to make the treatment even more effective, place a towel

over the head and shoulders as you can toward, covering the steam from the bowl as well.

I try this once a week for a while taking about 12 minutes for the steaming. Be sure to do under the chin and neck area also.

★ ★ ★

Q I've recently had an operation and would like to exercise again. Do you please suggest exercises?

A Never exercise after an operation or unless of any kind until your doctor says you may. Then and then only should you resume such activity. He will be glad to tell you just which exercises to begin with. I suggest if you haven't been in touch with him recently that you call and ask his advice. Good exercises after a long period of inactivity include those which stretch the body and loosen stiff muscles. Such stretching, however, could do damage to recent surgery.

★ ★ ★

Q Recently you gave a formula for a home facial, using creamed and egg white. I've used it with wonder if you will tell it once more?

A Best one egg lightly and to it a few teaspoons of cream. It should be the consistency of a heavy sauce. Place on face which has been cleansed and let remain until it dries. When it is dry, when your face begins to feel the pull, rinse off with cool water. This is good for both dry and oily skins, making them feel smoother and if you rest in the beauty angle with feet above the head while the mask is dry, the skin is aiding and abetting the process.

★ ★ ★

Modern Etiquette

BY ROBERTA LEE

Q I have a very good friend who is constantly making glaring errors of grammar in her speech. Wouldn't it be all right for me to attempt to correct her?

A I don't know how close your friend is but in many cases this would quickly end a "beautiful friendship." Strictly speaking, it is very rude to correct another person's speech, unless specifically requested to do so.

Q When a young woman is seated at a table a girl sitting across and another woman stops at her table to chat for a minute, should the young woman rise?

A Not unless the woman who stops is elderly.

Q When unfolding a napkin at the dinner table should it be done above or below the table?

A Below the table.

Household Scrapbook

BY ROBERTA LEE

Chilled Feeling

Nothing is better for a chilled feeling than to drink a cup of hot milk, as hot as can be borne.

Baked Apples

Baked apples which are filled with nuts, cinnamon and sugar are delicious and will afford variety in the way of cooking apples.

Brown Sugar

Keep the brown sugar in an open jar in the kitchen and it will remain soft. This keeps it from becoming lumpy.

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LOCAL NEWS

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Around Town

Parked Cars Take Beating From Vandals

Vandals damaged three parked cars near the Eagles Home, View Street, late Tuesday night, city police reported.

The rear license plate was torn from the car of John H. Lacey 1613 Belmont and the front and rear plates were damaged on the car of Lloyd R. Young of 286 Hosnack. Two windows on the two-windshield wagons on the Young car also were damaged.

Det. Pearson 619 Queen said police found his car window was damaged.

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Civic employees received a cheerful word of the approach of the Yuletide season yesterday.

Department heads were notified that the city hall will be closed for the Christmas season from noon December 21 to 8:30 a.m. December 28.

Civic offices will be closed from noon December 31, to 8:30 a.m. January 4 for the New Year holiday period.

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Four Victoria photographers are represented in the color side of the 14th annual Victoria Salon of Photography on display at the new Central Junior High School auditorium at 8:30 p.m. tonight and tomorrow.

Color slides produced by L. A. S. Cooper, Dr. John

Safe, Sane Holiday Called For

Camerun Toastmasters' Club heard a strong appeal last night from Don Branter to "put Christ back into Christmas." He called for a safe, sane holiday spent in the family circle.

During the dinner, Richard Foster conducted a discussion on the merits of TV.

Sam Smobelen, "singing polly," was named winner of the weekly speech contest and was presented with the club trophy by Arthur Harrap last week's winner.

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Only a small increase has been recorded in the number of names on this year's city voters' list.

City Clerk Frank Hunter said yesterday that no more than 75 to 100 new names have been added.

Last year's list recorded the names of 20,372 voters.

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Sancti Firemen inspected 90 buildings last month in routine checks of all types of structures. Fire Chief Joseph Law reports.

There were 28 alarms during October 16 attended by the headquarters hall, four by

the firemen.

Two-Car Crash Injures Youth

Geirick Lusk 17 of 321 Walton was treated at St. Joseph's Hospital for minor head injuries last night suffered in a two-car crash at Melville and Superior about 7:25 p.m.

Police identified the drivers as Jim Lusk 21, Walton and Lloyd R. Hansen R.R. 2, Victoria.

Ship Unloading Incident

City's Prestige Unmarrred Says Line Traffic Manager

Victoria's chance of becoming a regular port of call for about 400 tons

of American Mail Line ships remains as good as ever despite failure to complete unloading of a shipment of steel bars on Remembrance Day.

This encouraging news for Victoria business men came from H. Walker, general traffic manager of the shipping line in Seattle after fear was expressed that Victoria's prestige as a port had been struck a severe blow.

The American Mail Line ship China Mail carried about 1,000 tons of steel and heavy equipment consigned to Victoria Machinery Depot and Yards Limited, to Vancouver when Victoria's longshoremen stopped

Mountie Pitches In When Traffic Jams

The RCMP became an adjunct of Victoria City police force yesterday noon.

A federal officer passing a Fountain Circle traffic jam stepped into its midst and directed traffic until normal conditions were restored.

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SECOND NEWS SECTION

Band Features Novelty Number



Novelty number of the Fife, Wash., high school band, which played for S. J. Willis high school students yesterday, was a typewriter accompaniment for the instrumental trio pictured here. Left to right: Elaine Bell,

shay, Anne Spear, Marilyn Tolson who can double in piano, and Gaylen Harris. The band plays a return public engagement after an up-island concert series, at S. J. Willis high on Friday at 8 p.m. (See page 29.)

Serious Situation Expected

TLC To Organize Special Body To Deal with Jobless Problem

Seen in Passing

Life underwater Sidney

Smith told everybody in sight his old teeth were the Weymouth and the Weymouthers remained in Russells... Art Moran taking a stroll in the cool November air.

Fred Colmer and Jack Shrimpton out for a quick cool air... Gwen John, new chief travel counsellor at the B.C. Bureau looking very trim in her uniform... Art Jan, proudly took a walk without the dark cloud about his shoulders.

Mary Patenaude taking a walk with her son for a buggy ride... Mimi Christie, the young mother who adopted the little Venus, has had pains.

Dorothy Harrison looks much slimmer after a gallant course, but claims she has lost only four pounds... Hugh Garber, putting an insurance client's signature on the dotted line.

John E. Sanders James Bay Hotel, and Joseph Bethel, Mount Newton Crossroad, were committed for trial following completion of a preliminary hearing in a police court yesterday.

Each is charged with gross indecency. Both of \$500 were set.

The Architectural Institute of B.C. will hold its annual two-day convention at the Empress Hotel December 4 and 5.

Brahm Wiesman, director of the Capital Region Planning Board, will be guest speaker at a luncheon December 3.

President of the AIBC is John Wade.

Oak Bay council last night agreed to consider further action to be taken for construction of a sports pavilion in Carman Park.

Bids ranged from a figure over \$22,000 to \$31,000.

Antibiotics, estimates are between \$20,000 and \$21,000.

Character Helps

John Watt's age and good character proved to be assets before magistrate H. C. Hall in Esquimalt court yesterday.

The 51-year-old man of 187 Lester Street was fined \$100 or two months for as follows:

beer parlor waiter William Fonda at closing time in a public house October 22.

The magistrate said the man

and his wife are claim for

and private cheques paid

over the last six months.

Union regulations forbade

evening shifts on Remembrance Day.

But Mr. Walker said in a telephone conversation that the China Mail had arrived later than expected and was obliged to use its schedule to leave for Vancouver at 6 p.m.

Mr. Walker said when it did

leave Vancouver at 6 p.m.

he had to wait for a train

for a long time.

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Several delegates suggested

that the council or its affiliates

should run their own can

The Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council (AFL-TLC) decided last night to establish an unemployment council to organize the jobless and put their case before federal and provincial governments.

The council was proposed by the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, many of whom of garment industry and keeping the spotlight on that problem.

John Aubrey delegate from the Retail Clerks' Union, said it was time the council decided "whether we're going to do something about this problem."

During the depression of the 30's, he said, 300,000 young Canadians rode the freight trains to invite representation looking for work and stood in from provincial and municipal governments, the Chamber of Commerce, the churches and other interested bodies.

Let's be prepared to combat it before it becomes serious," he urged.

The council decided to set up the unemployment council composed of delegates from its affiliated locals.

This council might later decide to invite representation looking for work and stood in from provincial and municipal governments, the Chamber of Commerce, the churches and other interested bodies.

Another delegate said Victoria and the Island generally have so far escaped mass unemployment. But he said, the job shortage which is troubling the Mounties will eventually have repercussions here.

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The Courtroom Parade

Store Ignored Closing Law; Fine Imposed

A Wednesday afternoon held in city police court yes-
shop-closing by-law was up terday.

John R. Ryan, 46, manager
of ABC-TV, 1118 Fort Street, who
had 520 television sets when
Magistrate H. C. Hall declared
a curfew, said that he was
the person in charge of the
store and that it was per-
mitted to open.

The offense occurred Oct. 13. Lyle Cliffe, a boy in
station, said he received the stat-
ute at 1:30 p.m. and was told at 2:20
minute. He saw three people
enter, look at a television set
and leave.

At 2:25 p.m. he entered the
store and saw a customer at the
reception on the floor. At 2:30
he left.

Defense counsel K. C.
Murphy argued the front door
was open only to allow access
to the repair department for
servicing of TV sets. There was
no evidence of purchases in
either of the three hours before
or after the store had been closed.

Mr. Murphy sought dismissal
of the charge against Ryan,
saying he was not the em-
ployer, but an employee paid
from Vancouver. He also
argued the shop law does not
define employer.

He termed damaging the
evidence of technician Reginald
C. Conrad, who testified, in
answer to a question, that the store was open
for servicing of customers.

City Prosecutor Alan Bigelow
said evidence of the technician
and of Mr. Ryan that he was
in charge was sufficient for
conviction.

Walter Gray, HMC's Atta-
baskan, was dismissed from as-
sault charge against him

in a 20-minute de-
bate in the case before the
city police court yesterday.

Marion G. Smith and Mart-
in G. C. Smith, two witnesses of
Gray's street brawl, testi-
fied they saw Gray stop between
two civilians when a fight
began.

Miss Cliffe said that one civi-
lian had a stick to a woman's
face and struck the smaller
man beside him. Gray stopped
and was thrown to the
ground by the bigger civilian.

Gray explained to the court
he had punched gray out of
anger because of ignorance
of the law.

He had been drinking and could remember

Reynolds was told by the magis-
trate that he had used considerable force

Monday that Gray had struck which resulted in serious in-
juries to Pasko.

Harold W. Gray, 1178 Fort Street, ju-
ries to Pasko. The fine was

quite unnecessary and the in-
juries could not be overlooked.

The fight occurred Nov. 6.

Navy medical authorities

have not determined whether

Pasko sustained a permanent

eye injury.

Ronald R. Reynolds' role as
would be peacemaker in a fight
among noisy persons was

taken into consideration by Magis-
trate Hall when the sailor

earlier had been fined on a care-
less driving charge.

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Star Oriole Trio Goes to Yanks In Record Trade

(From AP and UP Reporters)

New York Yankees dominated this year by the Cleveland Indians after five successive American League and World Series championships seemed to notice yesterday that they are out to regain their laurels in a hurry.

In the biggest deal in base ball history, the Yankees obtained two righthanded pitchers of rare promise and a shortstop who may fill the shoes of the great Paul Revere.

GERT TURLEY

Going to the New York canons are Bob James, the most sought after pitcher in the American League. Don Larsen, another born thrower who has shown promise of greatness and shortstop Billy Hunter. They were obtained from the Baltimore Orioles in a bigger deal which includes Harry Reid and Jim McDonald, first baseman Eddie Robinson, shortstop Willie MacLean, rookie catcher Hal Smith and an unnamed player thought to be Gis. Francisco an other rookie catcher.

Final arrangement of the deal is expected to be made this morning, but reports last night said that at least four more players may change hands before the deal has been completed.

As far as the Yankees were concerned, Turley and Hunter in that order were the key

figures. The fireballing Turley, only 21 years old and apparently on the threshold of a great career, led the league in strikeouts this past season with 184. Pitching for the weak-hitting Orioles, Turley came up with an earned run average of 3.16 and won 14 games while losing 15. His record could just as easily have been 22-7 as he lost many games because of the inactivity of his club to get him a few runs.

Hence, may well be the shortstop, the Yankees have been seeking ever since it became evident that Rizutto was near the end of his career. The St. Louis Browns purchased him several years ago from the Brooklyn Dodgers for \$30,000 and three players in '48. Hunter bat only .219 in '53 and .243 this year, but he is regarded as a top prospect and can field with the best.

Larsen, who has 2,600 potential, may be so much better for the Yanks. A big fellow who can throw almost as hard as Turley, he won only three games this season while losing 21. But he was tough for the Yankees, beating them twice in the last victory, a shutout. With a good club he could easily win as many as Turley.

To get the trio, the Yankees gave up Bob James, the most sought after pitcher in the American League, by bat to the Inter-High School Senior Soccer League, by bat to a 14-11 draw with league-leading Victoria High at Hampton Road.

Result of the game last on the schedule for Mount View, left the defending Canadian Cup champions four points from third-place Oak Bay, which must win both its remaining contests to gain a position for the second position in the post-season playoff for the cup.

However, in Smith, the Orioles get one of the best young catchers in minor league baseball and their quantity to improve them. It is certain to improve the Yankees, too.

One Baltimore official estimated that the total value of the players involved would be very close to or more than \$1,000,000. Turley and Larsen alone would bring \$300,000 or more from at most any club. Baseball men don't hesitate in teaming in the biggest deal in the history of the game.

When Kramer signed Frank Sedgman and Ken McGregor two years ago, he said, "our Davis Cup committee ought to give me a medal" because Australia's amateur tennis power presumably had been shattered by the signing.

But now and Hoad to their late teens carried on last year, and retained the cup against the veteran Tony Trabert and Vic Seixas.

"I'd say we have at least an even chance of defeating them this year," said ailing U.S. cap captain Bill Talbert of New York. By matchtime, it could be better than even. A lot depends on reaching the proper mental attitude.

Nothing is certain in tennis these days, except that Kramer desperate needs some new faces on his pro tour. He expected to be loaded down with pride from last year's tour, sometimes called the old faces of 1954, in which Sedgman, Paul G. Rogers, Pancho Segura, sometimes called Don Ridge and Kramer himself made up the strongest big and little. The boy after was catastrophic.

Hoad and Rossall, by retaining the cup, would be the hot test names in the world right about the time Jack's tour comes into full swing in late December.

If the U.S. wins, Seixas would be promoted to a pro and probably Trabert would too, although he has insisted he has a lot more to learn before he can compete in Davis Cup play on the Australian tournaments. A U.S. spokesman said.

Talbert, who has been the three-time member of the Davis Cup team at Mexico, where he won November 25, says Talbert of Cincinnati, O., and Hamilton Richardson of Baton Rouge, La., already are in Australia and Vic Seixas of Philadelphia is scheduled to leave Thursday.

Team Captain To Take Over U.S. Cup Hopes

NEW YORK (UPI) The U.S. Lawn Tennis Association announced Wednesday that Billy Talbert of New York, captain of the U.S. Davis Cup team, will take a plane for Australia November 26, although his recent illness will not permit him to play over seas.

Talbert, hospitalized for more than a week because of a liver ailment, was discharged last week and received the approval of his doctor yesterday to make the trip to Australia. However, he will be unable to compete in Davis Cup play on the Australian tournaments, a U.S. spokesman said.

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Aussie Pairs Reach Finals

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Mount View Stops Vic High Thrust



Mount View High School goaltender Fred Middleton, who played outstanding game at Hampton Road yesterday afternoon, moved out to clear on this first-half rush by Victoria High during Inter-High School Senior Soccer League contest. However, two minutes later Dick McLaren drove a shot past

Middleton to give Vic High a 1-1 draw. Dick Smith, left, and Ray Burley are moving in ready to help out while Mount View centre half Brian Carter, between the fullbacks, watches the play. Vic High player behind Burley is centre-forward Don McIntosh.

Mount View Draws with Vic High To Clinch Tie for Playoff Berth

MOUNT VIEW went 6-1 from Dick McLaren tied the equal

after 10 minutes of play when Vic High 10-6 on

Goals. Alcander, right, is in set position for a corner when

opponent rebounded into the net when Vic had game loose from a good

smooth scrum.

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STREAK INTACT

In keeping its undefeated streak intact, Vic High scored itself of a first-place finish in its quest to improve the outcome of its last league game.

Opposing coaches at Esquimalt said postponement of the scheduled game between Vic and the winless Esquimalt squad.

Conditions were little better at Hampton Road, where the teams had gone under way before schedule when the referee failed to appear and finished up after playing 20 minutes of the second half when darkness forced Vic to call off the game.

PASSING DIFFICULT

The soggy condition of the pitch and the heavy rain that fell most of the match made accurate passing difficult and the teams battled on even terms in a series of end-end

scrimmages. Both clubs had several good scoring opportunities in the spirited action which was featured by the steady performance turned in by the rival performers. Tom English of Vic High and Fred Middleton.

ITALIAN XI WINS

LIEGE, Belgium (UPI) The touring soccer team of Italy defeated the Stade Reims club of France 21-21 in an international match here Wednesday.

ORFU Champions Rated Best Team in Years

KELSO, N.C. (UPI) Ken Waterloo Dutchmen are rated 2-0 in 12 league games. He also led the league in passing with a 34.7 percent completion average. His team wants an average of 164 yards and they brought 120 yards.

Generally, few fans in Kelso mention of a change when they meet E. Evans in the 1954 season. For the 1954 season, Evans will play 15 games and 17 of 17 games were touchdown strikes and Paul Amadio grabbed 21 of the 27 passes last season. This was for two men and a total of 148 yards.

Leading a formidable ground attack is Burke Taylor of Galt, a 200-pound fullback. He started for Western Ontario Maitains in the Inter-empire League and was with Tiger-Cats for two seasons.

Taylor will be in top shape for the engagement. They have no injuries to speak of. However, they likely will be missing end Sam O'Farrell, former Mustang star who was married last Saturday and now is honeymooning.

Coach Harvey Johnson is talking about his chances with New York Yankees and Dallas team. Purchess will need the breaks if they expect to win

advances to the Grey Cup final against either Edmonton Eskimos or Waterloo Dutchmen who meet in the Alberta capital Saturday night.

The statistics tell the story of the tight game. Montreal made 21 first downs, just three more than Hamilton. The Als gained 92 yards rushing against 99 for TI-Cats and had a 34-to-27 edge on yards gained passing.

Echeverria completed 12 of 40 passes and Songin 18 of 29.

By Walt Ditaro



Anderson Scores Four Goals

As Cougars Beat Chart In Blanking Stampeders, 6-0

EDMONTON (UPI) — The Cougars scored one when McLaren put the ball in the net, but the West Coast team had to wait for a goal to be scored.

McLaren passed well, but his team was inferior to the Cougars, especially in the first half. The Cougars' record is one of their best games in defense, but a crowd of 1,000 saw over the 600 who came to see the Cougars' Western Hockey League leader.

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Adult Education Interest Growing

A number of public and private organizations in Victoria are arranging on adult education. The meeting has been arranged by the provincial department of education, UBC and the Vancouver School Board as a means of co-ordinating the efforts of public, private and community organizations interested in adult education.

A total of about 1,000 night school, vocational and community work programs which have been growing in popularity throughout B.C. in recent years.

It is understood representatives from Victoria College and the Greater Victoria School Board will attend the Vancouver meeting. The junior and senior chambers of commerce have also been invited to send representatives along with a number of community organizations which have shown an interest.

The meeting will be addressed by Ralph Davies, personnel manager of the B.C. Electric on the subject of "Labour Within Industry" and Judge A. R. Sorenson on Canadian Citizenship.

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Horses Die In Barn Fire

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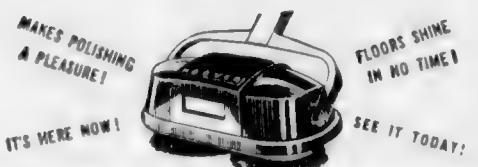
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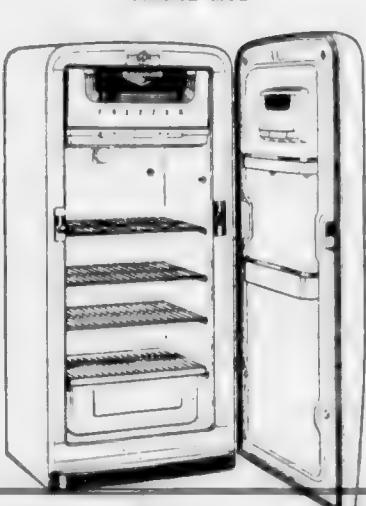
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Around the Island

Alberni-Vancouver Air Service Approved

POR ALBERNI—Application of Pacific Western Airlines for a license to operate a regular air service between Vancouver and Port Alberni has been approved. The air transport board in Ottawa has recommended that a Class 2 certificate, under the ire of Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane in Assize Court which a company runs regular flights but not on a definite schedule, be given the here yesterday.

The board limited the license to a year when it will then review the operations to determine if it proves detrimental to the business of Queen Charlotte Airlines running in the same area.

The board also approved two applications from Queen Charlotte Airlines to add to its Island services.

The company was given permission to add Port Hardy to the existing Class 1 route between Vancouver and several other points; and a request to serve Port Alice with a Class 3 service, on which flights are made irregularly, was approved.

COURTENAY City council this week indicated that a \$40,000 money by law, will probably be presented early

next year to provide drainage in one section of the city.

Plans for the drains have been considered for some time.

News of the by-law follows hard on the heels of the plans for a referendum which will permit the school board of district 67 to borrow \$630,000 for new schools here during the next five years as the southerly gale.

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THETIS ISLAND — Mrs. Hugh Wade was re-elected school representative for Thetis Island to School District 67 (Ladysmith) at a meeting held in the school here.

CAMPBELL RIVER — The three-day blood clinic held here this week was intended

Hundreds To Attend Pioneer Rock Pageant

NANAIMO—When Hiram Gough this year makes his annual pilgrimage to Pioneer Rock November 27, anniversary of the date of the arrival of white settlers here, he will have plenty of company.

Hundreds of descendants of those first arrivals will be here to attend the special pageant re-enacting the landing at Pioneer Rock.

Rev. William Buckingham, presbytery chairman, gave the address and read the dedication prayers.

Greetings were brought from the parishes of St. John's, Cobble Hill and All Saints, Shawnigan Lake, by Canon R. K. Samson. The choir of Duncan United Church attended.

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COBBLE HILL — Mr. Bay United Church passed another milestone in its long history Sunday when a new Sunday school hall was opened and dedicated.

by 250 donors. Many more residents who turned up were rejected due to colds and minor illnesses.

The 40 or 50 fishermen from Quadra Island and Campbell River district who regularly give blood were kept in port due to a howling southerly gale.

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Playmates laughed at me in the streets after they had seen him drunk," she said. "They made fun of me and I began to dislike him then."

At one point the girl glared across the courtroom at the accused and hissed an audible "liar" at him. This remark was made after counsel suggested that Mrs. Pesko has "boy friends and consort with hoodlums."

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Case Continues at Nanaimo

Relentless Questioning of Girl, 16, Arouses Ire of Murder Trial Judge

NANAIMO — Relentless cross-examination of the attractive 16-year-old daughter of an Alert Bay man charged with murdering his common-law wife aroused the ire of Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane in Assize Court yesterday.

For more than two hours Vera Pesko was quizzed by defense counsel John S. Burton, who repeated the same questions over and over again in an effort to break down her story.

The girl was testifying at the ing against the accused. It was trial of her father, Peter Bordenuk, established however that Bordenuk charged with the shot.

Bordenuk drank a lot but could not hold his liquor well.

Mrs. Joyce Bryan, who lived at the Bordenuk living house for some time, said the accused and his wife quarreled a good deal.

Most of the questions were in Ukrainian, the witness stated.

Afraid of Accused

Mrs. Bryan said she and her husband left the room, because they did not want to get involved in the domestic trouble. Mrs. Bordenuk had told her she was afraid of the accused and sometimes asked her to stay with her so she would not be alone with him.

Mrs. Hilda Svenson testified she was a member of a party which spent the evening before the murder in an Alert Bay tavern. Bordenuk was in the party.

Later the party adjourned to her home where the accused became drowsy and was put to bed in a back bedroom of the house.

Bordenuk had stated he was no longer allowed to stay at his own home and that he had a gun on his boat. The witness

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Stockholm's Unwilling Role

ALTHOUGH there has been scant mention of it in advance, the World Peace Council today begins another major convention in Stockholm, in which more than 400 delegates from 60 nations will participate. This lack of publicity may be accounted for largely by the fact that Sweden is once more an unwilling host to a group which functions chiefly as a spearhead for the Moscow propaganda offensive. The World Peace Council is the Communist-front organization which five years ago gave Stockholm unsought and undeserved notoriety by framing the so-called Stockholm Peace Appeal, long since exposed as a Communist ruse to undermine the defenses of the West.

The newspapers of Sweden, with the exception of Communist publications, recall the first "appeal" with such bitterness that they have refrained from any mention of this year's convention. While this boycott may appear somewhat at variance with the principles of a free press, who at this distance can blame the Swedish newspapers for attempting, for the good name of their country, to repudiate by silence an unhappy association that was thrust upon them? Whether by chance or by design, Stockholm was chosen by the World Peace Council as the scene for the perpetration of a gigantic fraud upon the world. That was five years ago; yet Stockholm and

Sweden remain fettered to a Communist "appeal" which they neither originated nor condoned.

For a different reason millions of sincerely peace-loving people throughout the world continue to regret, five years after, their association with the so-called peace appeal issued from—but not by—Sweden in 1949. The petition on which it was founded called for the prohibition of nuclear weapons, an ideal which caught the fancy of earnest people everywhere at a time when the full meaning of what atomic weapons could do to civilization was beginning to be realized. Actually the petition, as was subsequently shown beyond question, was a cunning move by the Communists, inspired by Moscow, to counter the Western plan for international control of fission arms.

The World Peace Council claimed that the petition of 1949 was signed by several hundred million people around the world, and because it was worded with diabolical cleverness that may not be an exaggeration. Here in Victoria, as elsewhere throughout Canada, hundreds and possibly thousands of people who abhor everything that Russian Communism stands for gladly signed the petition, making themselves innocent dupes of the Kremlin's propaganda machine. Those same people today will be able to understand the feelings and some of the bitterness of the citizens of Stockholm.

Sorting the Mail

ANYTHING that helps to speed up the handling of Christmas mail is to be commended, especially in view of the huge volume that forces postal staffs to the limit in order to keep up with the schedules. The suggestion that the public might assist by using labels and string to tie local and out-of-town mail in separate bundles, thus sorting the mail in part at an early stage in the process of handling, is therefore worth while. The idea is for the post office to supply the labels and patrons to do the rest. The public is likely to respond without much ado, and so that is that.

A curious omission when the present new post office building was built, however, is the cause of this step being invoked. There is only one mail chute in the large-size lobby, with two openings to it in the wall on the street side. Into this single spout goes most Vic-

toria mail—local, provincial, national and foreign alike—mixed in a jumble that must take considerable labor to sort out. The sorting could of course be done automatically were there separate slots for each class of destination, as there are in most post offices and as there were in the lobby of the previous postal building.

It is probably too late in the day for structural changes of this kind to be made in time for the Christmas mail deluge, although the puncture of a few more slots in a wall and the installation of separate chutes should be no major operation. As matters stand the public can help itself as well as the post office by falling in line with the suggested label system. Thereafter however it would seem like good practice for enough self-sorting receptacles to be provided as would separate the mail in advance, as much for the benefit of the post office as its patrons.

Why Special Favors?

LEAVING aside the natural desire of any group of individuals to buy retail to advantage, is it not special pleading on the part of federal civil servants now, teachers before them, or any other salaried body of citizens to expect merchants to set up a two-price selling system, to their own disadvantage? In this land what is the right of one person is the right of another. Special groups may establish co-operative stores on their own if they choose, assuming the risks, the competition and all that goes into the business of merchandising.

To ask the retail trade to under-sell its price list in favor of Dominion or

other employees who are paid directly, or indirectly, out of the public purse would be to divide the buying public into two categories—privileged and unprivileged. For the first a cut-rate price list would be invoked, and clearly at the expense of the second. Since it is the general public, without any special privileges, that supports the civil list in all its ramifications, both the taxpaying consumers and the merchants would be penalized by any such arrangement. Retail merchants for their part would seem to be under sufficient obligations now; while to the public a two-price system is anathema.

Tempering the Wind

IT was entirely creditable on the part of Canada's new minister of finance, Mr. Harris, to sympathize with the position of personal and corporation income taxpayers in their "severe" contributions to the national exchequer. This stand shows that Mr. Harris is human and capable of kindly fellow-feeling. It is indeed the height of something when corporations give up half of their profits and individuals up to one-third of their incomes to support Canada's outlay of several billions of dollars annually. Is the minister of finance correct however

when he suggests the taxpayers came forward willingly with these offerings?

Lambs do not offer to be sheared. The loss of their fleeces may be assuaged possibly by a few kindly words, but one suspects that the wind still strikes through to the marrow. It was the administration which set the budgets and called the billion-dollar tunes to which the nation dances. Has Mr. Harris any remedy, or is this another instance like that recounted in "Alice" when the Walrus and the Carpenter shed tears among the oysters while sorting out those of the largest size?

Interpreting the News

Britain Favors Treaty

By STANLEY PRIDDLE
Reuters Staff Writer

DIPLOMATIC quarters in London state Britain would strongly support any treaty between the United States and Nationalist China having the effect of "re-neutralizing" Formosa and leaving Gen. Chiang Kai-shek independent in his island state.

Negotiations for a bilateral pact now are in progress and reports from Washington have stated that under the treaty contemplated the United States would give military guarantee to the Chinese Nationalist government. This would protect the Nationalist government, by the United States, against any attempted invasion of Formosa and the Pescadores Islands by the Chinese Communists.

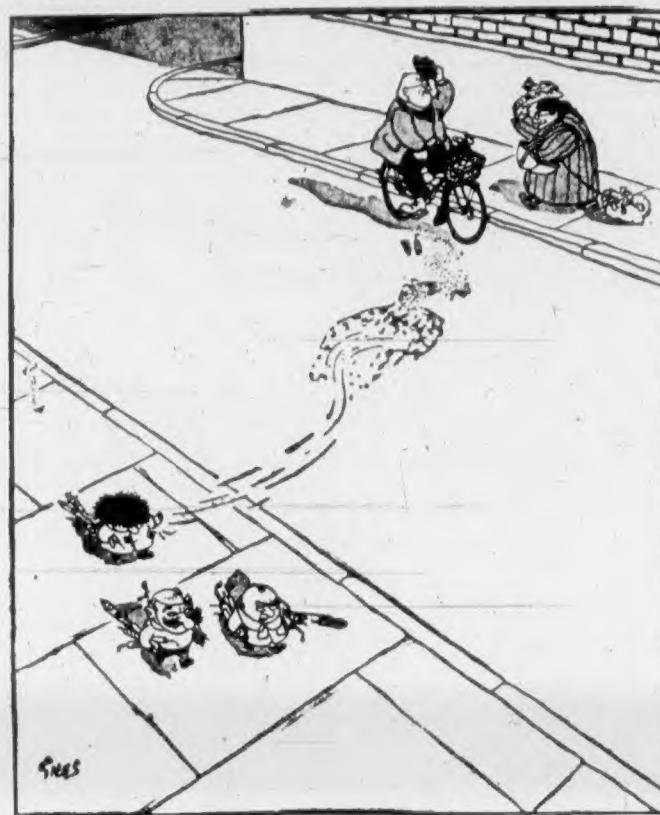
In exchange, the Nationalists would promise not to attack the Chinese mainland.

The British government regards the dispute over Formosa and the small Nationalist

held islands close to the China coast as potentially one of the most dangerous world issues. For the reason, it is understood, it would support such a redefinition of United States policy, even though its backing would certainly anger the Chinese Communist government, which Britain recognizes, and would strain the much-improved relations between Peking and London.

Acceptance by the Chinese Communists of the Formosan situation—albeit reluctant and tacit—would be an important stepping stone to world recognition of the Peking regime and its admission to the United Nations Organization, it is thought here.

In the view of most Western diplomats, fulfillment of these twin aims of the Chinese Communist government is out of the question for some years because of the United States' attitude.



"Don't let 'em off in the street; don't put 'em in Auntie Vera's bed; don't tie 'em on the cat . . . and they call it a free country!"

by Giles

On the Record

Depressing Speech

By DOROTHY THOMPSON

THE speech of Soviet Deputy Premier Maxim Z. Saburov on the occasion of the 37th anniversary of the Bolshevik Revolution holds regrettably little encouragement for those searching for signs that the Kremlin desires to "relax international tensions" with a view to ending the cold war on terms conceivable to non-communist powers.

The tone and phraseology are better than we became accustomed to under Stalin, but the content is not hopeful. The usual lip service is paid to the "doctrine of co-existence," but no tangible suggestions are advanced to settle the issues which prevent or militate against relaxation.

The Kremlin spokesman emphasized the military strength of the Soviet Union, stating that the Soviet "even on the admission of its enemies has multiplied its forces still further," but in the same paragraph attacked "certain leaders of the United States" for planning to negotiate with the Soviets "from a position of strength."

This in the context of the speech suggests that the communist world which "has united under its banner 900,000,000 people" is already in such a position of strength that an attempt to equalize it is impossible.

For there is no logic in arguing that the Soviets intend to negotiate from a position of strength already attained and multiplying, and that this tremendous military strength represents peace, while strength anywhere outside the communist bloc is ipso facto aggressive; that one can simultaneously proclaim one's own military power while counseling one's enemies to negotiate from weakness!

* * *

The military strength of the Soviet Union is acknowledged, not "admitted" by the rest of the world. The expansion of Soviet forces is alone responsible for the increase of non-communist forces. Solid and contiguous, the Soviet bloc stands armed to the teeth, from deep in the heart of Europe to the borders of India.

This vast political and military complex occupies the central land position of the globe. Western Europe lies wide open to its outposts in Poland, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Rumania, Bulgaria, Albania and East Germany—and the Kremlin and Marshal Tito are flirting again. Just what Saburov meant by the "restoration" of "normal and friendly ties with Yugoslavia" is cryptic. If he means a restoring of what existed before the break, he means again adding Yugoslavia to the Soviet military bloc.

The Kremlin perpetually represents this huge Eurasian armed bloc as the "peace camp" and the American-West European association as an "aggressive military alliance." It is a military alliance, called into being by Soviet military expansion now enormously enhanced by the axis with Peking.

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This column can tell the Soviets not wish West German military forces added to NATO, but Deputy Saburov proposed no alternative for West German and European security. On the contrary, in ballyhooing the fifth anniversary of the foundation of the German Democratic Republic as a "truly democratic peace-loving state" he implied that only if all Germany were like East Germany, also in alliance with the Soviet Union, would the German question be happily settled.

In short, the co-existence advocated by the Kremlin appears to be a condition in which the non-communist world retreats while the communist bloc multiplies and advances, to create a "peace camp" ultimately embracing the globe, permanently policed against rebellion by communist legions: peace by a communist monopoly of military power.

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This always has, in fact, been the communist pattern for a warless world. Geopolitically its achievement demands the military consolidation of the central land mass of the Eastern Hemisphere, the eventual absorption of the peninsula (Europe, India, Korea, etc.) and the temporary isolation of the Americas and Japan.

The German-Japanese axis with a similar dream was in a far weaker position to realize it than is the Russian-Chinese. And until there are signs that this master plan has been abandoned, the rest of the world is compelled to increase and consolidate its' defenses, militarily, politically, and morally, even to continue to "co-exist."

With the Classics

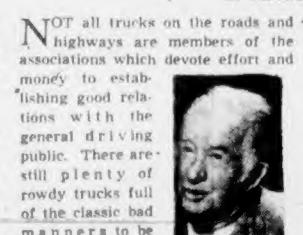
AUTUMN

Think, oh, grateful think!
How good the God of Harvest is
to you;
Who pours abundance o'er your flowing fields.
While those unhappy partners of
your kind
Wide-hove round you, like the fowls
of heaven.
And ask their humble dole.

—JAMES THOMSON.

The Packsack

by GREGORY CLARK



NOT all trucks on the roads and

highways are members of the associations which devote effort and money to establishing good relations with the general driving public. There are still plenty of rowdy trucks full of the classic bad manners to be met with.

Private motor car drivers are, in

a sense, amateurs, and truck drivers might be considered professionals. And this is something the amateurs should always bear in mind in case of trouble. If you get into a collision with a truck, no matter how noble it looks, don't waste any time. Get your witnesses as fast as you can.

* * *

A lady of my acquaintance, approaching an intersection behind other cars, had the green light in her favor. Waiting at the intersection to make a left-hand turn as soon as the oncoming cars had passed was one of those big trailer trucks, in which the driver sits high in his cab.

Just as my friend entered the intersection, the yellow light came on.

And the big trailer-truck, its nose already slightly turned in readiness

to make the jump for the left-hand turn, jumped the instant the yellow light came on. It hit my friend's car on the rear left corner.

* * *

Now it was as plain as day that the driver, high up in his cab, was naturally watching for the light to change, and at the same time was watching to his right, so that he could make the turn before the cross traffic, from the right, got ahead of him. He was not watching to his left, where he could see the up-coming traffic that was detaining him from making his left turn.

* * *

What happened? The lady drew into the kerb, the truck driver finished his turn and went and parked half way down the block. He came back and met the lady. When she asked for his license number, he said he didn't remember it. She could go, he said, and get it off the truck.

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While she was away, bewildered

and excited, carrying out this out-

rageous suggestion by the profes-

sional driver, he collected his wit-

nesses on the spot. By the time she

returned, after getting the truck's

license number, the driver had had

time to sort over the witnesses and

select three or four kindred spirits

who asserted, loudly, with the driver:

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already slightly turned in readiness

* * *

"Yes, lady, you drove through a

red light."



NEWS REVIEW

By Erith M. Smith

(From AP, CP, Reuters, UP)

Britain's foreign secretary, Sir Anthony Eden, said yesterday the Allied project to rearm Western Germany may ultimately lead to successful negotiations with Russia. The cabinet minister was opening a two-day Commons debate on the London and Paris agreements to grant West Germany sovereignty and a military force of 500,000 men within the Atlantic alliance.

On a reduced charge of manslaughter by an Assize Court Jury. He was remanded to the end of the assizes for sentence.

Into Washington from Ottawa yesterday flew French Premier Pierre Mendes-France for talks with President Eisenhower. "I come to America in a spirit of optimism," he said, adding that the whole free world "is making steady progress in the road to peace."

In the United Nations, Russia has accepted Canada's invitation to join an advisory committee to call an international conference on atomic energy. Chief Soviet delegate Andrei Vishinsky also said his country is continuing negotiations with seven powers on establishing an international agency for the development of peaceful uses of atomic energy.

On the other side of the diplomatic picture, Charles E. Bohlen, U.S. ambassador to Moscow, is due in Washington for consultation on Soviet policy next week. He is returning in the midst of U.S. efforts to find out whether the Kremlin is willing to call a halt to the shooting down of American aircraft.

At the same time, another Washington dispatch said the U.S. is seeking to work out a treaty with Nationalist China that would provide for defense of Formosa but would not commit the U.S. to join in a war on Red China.

From New York comes word that a committee seeking 10,000,000 signatures on a petition opposing censure of Senator Joseph McCarthy reports that it has received "tremendous" support.

Fisherman Clifford Johnson, 37, accused in Vancouver of murdering his common-law wife, yesterday was convicted

Queen Mother On Way Home

OTTAWA (CP) — "It has been wonderful." With these words, Queen Mother Elizabeth took leave of Canada Wednesday after a five-day visit.

Before she walked up the ramp of the RCAF C-5 plane for the flight to New York, she shook hands warmly with Governor-General Massey and said:

"Thank you, Mr. Massey. Thank you for everything."

Wearing an off-blue ensemble with matching plumed hat and purse, she turned at the top of the ramp to wave as the crowd at Uplands airport bellowed a "three cheers."

Minutes later, the big trimmest aircraft, the Queen Mother's personal standard fluttering from the cockpit, roared into an overcast, darkening sky. At New York, Her Majesty will board the liner Queen Mary for the voyage home.

On arrival at the airport, the pilot of the plane, Flt. Lieut. Hugh Cram of Saskatoon, was presented to the Queen Mother. The Queen Mother then mounted the red-carpeted dias for the royal salute by the 100-man guard of honor from the

Five winners of world championships in grain were presented with their trophies at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair at Toronto yesterday. They were William E. Brockon, Burlington, Ont., wheat; William R. Beattie, Staples, Ont., soybeans; C. A. Rivard, St. Simon, Que., forage crops; Floyd Hiner, Lewisville, Ind., corn; and David C. Hackett, Cochrane, Ont., potatoes.

Champions for barley, rye and oats were unable to attend.

Two coastal fishing districts — No. 1, the outside approaches to the Fraser River, and No. 3, all waters lying between Vancouver Island and the Mainland, are closed today under an order issued in Vancouver by A. J. Whitmore, chief supervisor of fisheries.

Built up as a pointer to British political trends is the by-election being held today in Derby West, a Liverpool suburb. The seat is now held by the Conservatives with a small majority, but if the Labor candidate wins today it may be taken as confirming recent opinion polls which give the opposition party a slight edge.

Wilbert Coffin, sentenced in Quebec to be hanged November 26 for the murder of the youngest of three U.S. hunters found slain in the Gaspe wilderness in July, 1953, has granted a stay of execution until March 12, 1955.

Murder Defense Demand To View Report Denied

CLEVELAND (AP) — Dr. Samuel Sheppard's lawyers from Dr. Sheppard's bag after the slaying.

Dr. Gerber, 60, is the coroner who claims to have found the bloody outline of a surgical instrument on the under side of Marilyn's death pillow. He softened this testimony somewhat during the day, saying if it wasn't a surgical instrument, it at least resembled one.

The state objected vigorously that the police report was not a public record within the control of the coroner's office, although Dr. Gerber had received a copy. Common Pleas Judge Edward J. Blythin directed the jury to disregard Corrigan's remarks.

When court recessed for the night, Corrigan indicated he was satisfied he got his complaint across to the jury, and would not press the matter.

Dr. Sheppard is on trial for the July 4 slaying of his wife, Marilyn.

DEAL OF WITS

Corrigan brought out in a deadly, fascinating duel of wits with the coroner that the state is holding a batch of letters found in the dead woman's desk. The lawyer also got on record the defense claim that some

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Trial Recalls Earlier Charges

CALGARY (CP) — Two persons have been charged previously with the murder of Yvonne Levesque, 22, it was stated Wednesday at the trial here of Donald Winslow Henderson, 37, is charged with Miss Levesque's murder, August 11, 1949, in an East Calgary auto court.

Det. Kemp said that when he swore before a magistrate that "he had reason to believe" the Wallaces committed the murder he was "acting under the direction of the then chief constable, Malcolm Boyd."

The information and complaint sworn out against William Lee Wallace, November 7, 1949, also contained the name of his wife, Wilhelmina, Det. George Kemp of the city police testified. Warrants were issued for both but only the husband was arrested.

sonal knowledge of the evidence.

Det. Kemp replied in the affirmative.

Det. Kemp said he understood

that when the charges against

Wallace were dropped, the

charge and warrant for his wife

was dropped, too.

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ALL ABOARD

With G. E. Mortimore

A NEW "get tough" policy in the provincial public works department is raising grumblies from some of the outside workers.

Several weeks ago, orders were issued from the top doing away with the ten-minute coffee break that outside workers had enjoyed as a privilege.

And meters known familiarly as "stool pigeons" were placed on cranes, bulldozers, graders, trucks and other vehicles.

These meters keep ticking from the moment a machine starts the day's work until it trundles back into the yard.

As long as the machine keeps moving a pendulum makes a mark on a circular disc. But if the vehicle stops, a tell-tale gap is left on the disc.

And every gap in the record—even of one or two minutes—must be accounted for at the end of the day.

If a vehicle halts while the driver gets instructions from an engineer, the stop has to be explained.

If the driver stops to put up line-signs, or to give directions to a lost motorist, or to make way for passing traffic, or any of 101 other necessary tasks, the machine simply records it as lost time.

Some of the boys are very peeved about the new policy. They say they weren't cheating in the first place, and they consider this "Big Brother" treatment an insult. The net result of the "get tough" policy, they suggest, will be lowered morale and lowered efficiency.

Certain private firms have used the "stool pigeon" gauges. In the case of one firm, the drivers all tore the gauges out by the roots, and they were not replaced.

The public works boys are not going to try any such tactics. Jobs are too scarce these days. But some of them are pretty angry.

What next? Meters for picks and shovels, to show how often they are lifted per day? Mileage meters for pens and typewriters?

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Veteran early-morning pianist Al Smith, and his CJVI team-mate, announced Walter Cowden, are featured in the December number of TV Radio Mirror. The article praises Al Smith's knack for sending listeners to work with a smile, and cites his achievements as a "musical memory man."

Back in Prince Albert, Sask., Al Smith offered his listeners a deal: The listener would pay 25 cents to charity if the pianist could play any given tune; Al would pay 25 cents himself if he failed.

"Six hours later, at 2 a.m., Al had played 374 requests from memory and had been stumped on only two."

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Memo to Elmer Wheeler: They're looking for a man who failed to complete your course. He learned about "selling the sizzle," but he didn't stay to hear that you have to deliver the steak.

Garden Notes

Root-Pruning Bears Fruit



By M. V. CHESNUT, FRSB

Root-pruning is one of the most successful ways of inducing an unfruitful orchard tree to produce blossoms and fruit, but make no mistake about it—it is a major operation, and like surgery of the human body, should be looked upon as a last resort, after medication and nutritional correctives have failed.

It is a laborious job, and it is important to be sure that the patient's condition really warrants the surgery before proceeding. Root pruning pays off only when the tree is overly vigorous in making branch and shoot growth without forming blossom buds, or when trees trained against a wall are making too much growth for their allotted space.

WHEN LEAVES GO

The operation should be performed as soon after leaf fall as possible. Young trees, in their fifth to ninth year, which are making exuberant growth, are best checked by being dug up with a good ball of soil around their roots and simply replanted. The digging should be done immediately under the out-side reach of the branches, and any long tap roots going straight down should be cut off cleanly, with all exposed thick-woody roots cut short.

In replanting, it is important to see that the young tree is oriented as it was before, with the north side of the tree to the north, and so on.

TOO MUCH TO ASK

Weather, sun, prevailing winds, and so on have all had their part in shaping the growth of the tree, and it is too much to ask of the patient that it should have to reorient it growth while recuperating from its operation. After all, your purpose in root-pruning is to scare the tree to remind it that life is fleeting, and that it had better get on with the job of reproducing its species.

Where the tree is too big to lift, it is sufficient to dig a trench about two feet deep around the roots and cut off all exposed woody roots from the inner wall of the trench. You need a spade with the edge dressed with a file to razor sharpness for this job. The spade should also be thrust inward under the tree at the bottom of the trench as far as possible, to amputate any plunging tap roots which can be reached. The soil should be replaced firmly in the trench, and the tree staked, as its wind anchor-age has been weakened.

Root-pruning is also useful where cordons or wall-trained

trees, especially plums, are outgrowing their space. Continual butting back of the extensions growth seldom results in fruitfulness, and a much better plan is to bare the root system around the tree occasionally and sever some of the larger woody roots at about 2½ feet.

Dwarf and wall-trained apples and pears seldom require this treatment, as they are grafted upon special dwarfing roots, but there are such non-vigorous roots available for the stone-fruit trees—plums, cherries, peaches, apricots, etc.—and root-pruning provides the only means whereby these kinds can be confined to a restricted wall area.

TALK SLATED

ON CANCER

Modern trends in the treatment of cancer will be discussed by Miss Dorothy N. Findley, RN, at the Vancouver Island District Registered Nurses' Association meeting Friday, Miss Findley is director of nursing and technicians at the B.C. Cancer Institute in Vancouver. The meeting will be in the nurses' home lounge at the Royal Jubilee Hospital at 8 p.m.

KATMANDU, NEPAL (Reuters)—Mme. Claude Kogan, 35-year-old French dress designer, has set up a women's mountain climbing record by reaching a height of 25,496 feet on Mount Cho Oyu, world's seventh highest peak and a neighbor of Mount Everest.

WEATHER FORECAST

November 18, 1954
(Government Forecast)

TODAY

Intermittent rain. Little change in temperature. Winds southwest 20. Sunshine yesterday, none. Precipitation .30 inch.

RECORDED TEMPERATURES

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FORECAST TEMPERATURES

High Thursday 50

Low Thursday 45

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

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naimo. 52.

West Coast of Vancouver Is-

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Rain. Little change in tempera-

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at Estevan. 50.



BY WILLIAM G. BOGART
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Mark felt a nerve twinge in his throat, but he appeared to have gone.

"You've never been quite sure

about that girl April, have you, Roco?" Not sure whether she is really dead or alive. The night she inadvertently witnessed a shooting at your club, you ordered a lad of yours named Al to get her away from there. She knew Al. She thought, poor kid, that she was getting a ride home." Her pause an instant, then added softly, "But she never reached home."

The Rock sat motionless, his cold eyes unchanged.

"The same night," continued Mark, "before your man Al ever got back to your place, he was gunned by some hoodlums from a rival gambling syndicate. He never had a chance to report to you. So you were never absolutely certain about April."

Still the gambler remained mum and immobile.

"Then there was my secretary, Roberta," continued Mark. "Not sure whether she was sealed when Ewing called her instead of me when I happened to be out of the office. So you had Roberta rubbed out, along with Ewing, to cover your tracks."

Mark finally moved. His big hands reached out and gripped the edge of the desk. He reminded Mark of a vulture. His eyes still had not changed expression.

"It's certainly too bad," Roco said, "that the man the police captured is Roberta's apartment in Clancy tonight."

"A corpse isn't much of a witness in court, my friend."

Roco's quick eyes caught the tightening of Brannon's lips. He smiled thinly. But the movement of Mark's right hand was sudden and smooth. The .38 appeared in his fist.

"Get up, you —!" he ordered.

Roco stood up slowly and almost casually, but the voice behind him was far from casual as it commanded, "Up with the hands, pal!"

Mark sat motionless, his cold eyes unchanged.

"Then, somehow, they were outside in the night, beyond the wide parking area, and Roco's shadowy, dodging figure was attempting to reach a particular parked car.

There were more shots, and shots, as other men came to the gambler's aid.

Lead spanned into a car near Brannon. He held his fire. He heard a woman scream in fright as she started down the front steps of the isolated club. He caught a glimpse of Roco's tall figure off toward the front of the grounds. The Rock had changed course, hoping that his associates would pick off the detective when he himself drew Mark into the open.

Then there were blinding headlights moving down the road into the grounds, with Roco darting across the driveway in front of the twin bright beams. Mark fired then, angling toward the approaching car. There were more shots, behind him.

A hoarse voice bellowed out in the confusion. It came from a figure that had jumped from the arriving car.

Sam Henkel!

Roco paused once in his flight, turned and fired at the massive sergeant. But as he did so a spotlight flashed to life on the police sedan and trapped the gambler in its cone of white.

Henkel fired once. Roco's hands flung up as he ran. Then he stumbled and pitched forward.

To Be Continued

A PADRE IN PRINT

BY REV. WILLIAM HILLS

Two marvels entered my mind as my ears listened to the concert of our own symphony orchestra last Monday night. The first was the competence of the musicians, and the second was the rigidity of a certain religious temperament.

It is not so very long ago that we attended these concerts more out of a sense of duty than of pleasure.

Well do I remember the first time I heard Victoria's symphony orchestra! What it was in either '46 or '47. It was a struggle, I think, to get through the complexities of the last of Brahms' symphonies with cohesion—as our men and women did on Monday night—deserves the proud support of all our citizens.

It is a pity that more people do not think so.

The making of music is an art of civilized man.

Any brute can beat upon a tom-tom. Even Tarzan has no difficulty in slapping his chest in many rhythm and venting a cry which is a cross between the squeal of tortured rubber and a bubble-blocked French horn.

But to create the architecture of a great symphony of sound, a man must walk upright and fix his eyes upon the stars. It takes spiritual capacity to do that.

That is the difference between Tin Pan Alley and Carnegie Hall.

The little tunes which come and go—which are whipped into a frenzy called "jazz"—these all are earth-bound. They minister to the bodies of men and not their souls.

And all the Stan Kentons in the world will not eradicate that difference.

When man explores the beautiful, the good and the true—even in musical sound—he explores the Being of God.

This brings me to my marvel.

Why do certain religious minds invoke the letter of the law to prevent the sale of tickets to such a symphony concert on the Lord's Day?

How much better it is for the spirit of man to be fed by the inspiration of good music on that day of all days than to content himself with the hum-drum activities which pass for recreation on the day of rest.

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Adrift 6,400 Miles

Fierce Wind, Great Seas Batter Raft

This is the ninth in a series of 18 articles by William Willis, 61-year-old New Yorker who sailed alone on a raft 6,400 miles across the Pacific from Peru to Pago Pago. The Adventurers' Club, awarding Willis an honorary life membership, described his voyage as "the greatest solo trip since Charles A. Lindbergh's famous flight . . ."

BY WILLIAM WILLIS

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NEW YORK (NANAS)—I had turned to a south-west-by-south course when the storm struck me. Squalls had beset me many times before on my lone raft voyage, but never anything like this. In all the 115 days and across all the 6,400 miles from Peru to Samoa, this was the worst.

It was this blow which, in my mind, proved my Seven Little Sisters a seaworthy vessel. I think a lot of this 33-foot craft.

It was September 2. Since passing the Galapagos Islands, about 700 miles off the South American coast, I had sailed and drifted with the Humboldt Current, ever toward the west. I passed perhaps 100 miles north of the Marquesas Islands, the French possessions which were the first landfall I could possibly have made on the route I had chosen. As I plotted my course, the Marquesas served as the pivot for the first change in course I made.

Change in Course

I had been moving generally along the Fifth Parallel. But I could not follow this direction farther. If I did, I would risk being blown toward the numerous groups of South Pacific Islands, many of them uninhabited, where I might be wrecked. I have been asked why I chose my course so far north, with a turn around the Marquesas. It was for this reason: If I had followed a straighter line toward Samoa, I might easily have been grounded or wrecked on one of the many islands that would lie in my path, as the magnificent Kon-Tiki expedition was in 1947.

My sights were fixed on Samoa, 6,400 miles from Callao, and I was bound I would not fall short. By the day the storm hit, September 2, I had already traveled about 4,000 miles.

Many beautiful days with steady winds, and others that brought calms and squalls and hard blows had been passed in the weeks immedi-

Hiss May Face Questioning

WASHINGTON (AP)—Alger Hiss, a central figure in one of Washington's most sensational Red spy cases, may be called before two Congressional committees for additional questioning when he gets out of prison next week.

St. Catharines on Scene

Ship Stands By Stricken Vessel

The Victoria-based weather ship St. Catharines reported last night it had completed a dash to the aid of an American freighter with a cracked hull and was standing by in the storm-lashed Pacific about 800 miles off the coast.

St. Catharines said she was keeping station 1½ miles from the P & T Trader, proceeding on a course slightly south of east, with a west-southwest wind blowing at 40 knots, a rough sea and heavy swell.

The weather ship said it would stand by until the wind and sea abated or U.S. Coast Guard cutters arrived.

The freighter, St. Catharines reported, appeared "all right." RUSHING TO AID

Two U.S. Coast Guard cutters were rushing to the aid of the stricken freighter. The cutter Storis, out of Yakutat, Alaska, estimated its arrival time at 11:30 (PST) today and the cutter Klamath, which left Seattle, expected to arrive about 2 a.m. Saturday.

The P & T Trader was on the way from Yokohama to Yaquina Bay, Ore., in ballast and bucking heavy seas piled up by a 50-mile-an-hour gale when a crack appeared in the hull.

REPAIRS MADE

Reports from the ship said the crew had made emergency repairs by welding angle irons across a crack extending from a hatch coming to the side of the hull and three plates down. Chain cable was used to

atly behind me. I had weathered these changes and problems, as I have explained, with my raft bearing up soundly. But this day was plainly not to be according to routine.

I did not like the sunrise. It was coppery red—distinct hue. This would mean wind. But the day passed without anything untoward happening. The wind was ordinary; the Seven Little Sisters jogged along at her regular gait.

Evening came, and I was busy, but I glanced up from my chores and saw the same coppery color in the cloudless western sky. The copper seemed to be glowing. This alarmed me, for it meant bad weather was on the way.

Night came, with frequent, fitful squalls, although none of them carried too much wind. Nevertheless I kept a sharp lookout at the wheel. I continued to carry all my sails. I took them down only for good reason because the hauling necessary took too much out of me, and there was always a chance of tearing the sails.

Midnight. The squalls were becoming stronger, coming up in long rolls from horizon to horizon. Their solid black walls were plainly visible, moving swiftly, even on such a dark night as this. The wind was howling and moaning, even though there was not yet much of a sea. But I knew that if the wind held, the sea would come up. I decided to shorten sail.

I readied the gear to

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Baseball Player Deal Biggest on Record

Baseball's biggest deal, involving players worth \$1,000,000, was announced yesterday.

It gave the New York Yankees pitchers Bob Turley and Don Larsen and shortstop Billy Hunter. In return the Baltimore Orioles obtained outfielder Gene Woodling, pitchers Harry Byrd and Jim McDonald, first-baseman Eddie Robinson, shortstop Willie Miranda, rookie-catcher Hal Smith and an un-designated player. (Full details on Page 10.)

Island Home Gutted

Mother of Five Burned to Death

(Special to The Colonist)

CAMPBELL RIVER — A mother of five children was burned to death late Monday night when a coal oil refrigerator exploded and gutted her home at Allison Logging Camp, 32 miles north of here.

Dead is Ruth Josephine Gibbs, 38, wife of Russell Gibbs, superintendent of the camp.

The eldest child, 12-year-old Edward, smashed a window with his bare hands and carried his five-month-old sister, Janet Lee, to safety. Mike Maryniuk, a camp employee, ran into the blazing house twice to save the other children. Barbara, 10; Gordon, 5; and Rosemary, 3.

Details of the fatal blaze were only disclosed yesterday morning when an RCMP investigating team returned to Campbell River.

Mr. Gibbs had gone to the wharf to pick up supplies and provisions from a fishpacker which had called in.

It is presumed that Mrs. Gibbs must have turned on the refrigerator to cool for the incoming perishables.

THEMENDOUS BLAST

The children said they heard a tremendous explosion and then the whole house caught fire.

Mrs. Gibbs thrust her hand out of a window, but she was dead when pulled into the open.

The flames seared Mr. Maryniuk's face while he was dragging the children out of the house.

He Boils at Bake Order

Cook Obedient to the Letter

BURY ST. EDMUNDS, Eng. (Reuters)—

A cook at the U.S. Air Force base near here was told he could not go on leave because he had to bake a cake for an officer's climbing.

The cook protested angrily but was told by his superior officer that it was an order.

The officer gave him details of the cake and added: "Don't forget to put nuts on top."

The cook made the cake, put it in a tin and went on leave.

The officer was married and the cake was borne proudly into the wedding reception.

The lid was lifted—and there, scrawled in icing across the top of the cake was the word "nuts."

USAF officers disclosing the story Wednesday said no disciplinary action had been taken against the cook.

Path of Destruction Cuts Across Island After Gales, Heavy Rain

Will Lost Graves Be Rediscovered Here?



Frank Swannell, retired B.C. government surveyor, points into tangle of brush which he believes now covers the grave shown in picture at left. Mr. Swannell marked location of this grave and another larger one on survey map he completed in 1945. Three old houses on Dallas Road, in background, are those shown in older photo.

Strait Combed For Lost Ship

A path of destruction was carved across Vancouver Island yesterday when the area was hit with gale force winds and heavy rain which turned small creeks into rampaging rivers.

At Port Alberni a small logging camp was picked up bodily by flood waters and hurled into the Alberni Canal. (See story below.)

Six search vessels were combed wind-swept Georgia Strait early today seeking traces of the 55-foot trawler Taranga missing on a trip between Nanaimo and Vancouver.

The Taranga limped into Vancouver under her own power early today and RCAF Operations immediately called off the search.

The trawler's radio went dead after she reported she was in difficulties about three hours out of Nanaimo.

The Taranga, owned by B.C. Packers Ltd., had been unable to establish radio contact and her position had been uncertain.

Engineers were forced to open the outlet valves at John Hart Dam yesterday when heavy rain fell in a solid downpour for more than 24 hours.

The rain, which was accompanied by gale force winds over-

One Man Missing

Flood Sweeps Camp into Sea

One man is missing, believed drowned, and two men are in hospital after an Alberni Canal stream, made a raging torrent by heavy and steady rains, broke up a floating logging camp.

Missing is 18-year-old Eli Dufour, presumed to have been drowned.

In hospital at Port Alberni are his brother, Reginald, with a broken leg and Archie Plette with an injured back.

Safe after suffering shock and hysteria are Jimmy Arden, owner of the camp; his wife, who suffered cuts and bruises after being washed overboard from the raft; and C. Cousins.

The camp consisted of a bunkhouse and cookhouse on the north side of the Alberni Canal, seven miles from Port Alberni, and was built on floating logs.

It was at the mouth of an unnamed creek.

The victims said last night the wild, swollen stream, fed by rain water from the hills, hit the door of a building in which they were all gathered, with a gushy roar.

The gushing water forced open the door. Mr. Arden hurriedly closed it and the party of six rushed for another door, but before they could get away, the building collapsed.

Mr. Arden was thrown into the sea and was cut and bruised by floating debris. One of the injured was hit by a floating building—"Just like being hit by a truck," Mr. Arden said last night.

The party is believed to have stayed on a log raft which was towed by a small power boat to Franklin River on the opposite side of the Canal and two miles south.

It was the first time in the 10 years he has been operating the ferry company that he has heard such a sound, he said.

LAST HOURS NEAR FOR ROYAL VISIT

NEW YORK (CP)—Elizabeth the Queen Mother, winding up

her visit to the United States, arrived from Ottawa Wednesday night and drove directly from the airport to the liner Queen Mary at its Hudson River pier.

The Queen was to sleep aboard the big ship.

The RCAF C-5 which brought Queen Mother from the Canadian capital touched down at Gander field at 5:45 p.m. after a flight of just over two hours. There was a minimum of formality as the Queen entered her limousine for the

drive across Queensborough and the island of Manhattan.